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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 11, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 2 and 8 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims 2 and 8 have been amended to more clearly define the invention.